

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION

OF: HAUER ET AL.

SERIAL NO. 10/031,146

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FOR: NOVEL CYTOCHROME P450 MONOOXYGENASE AND THEIR USE FOR OXIDIZING ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

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EXAMINER: Y. D. PAK

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.113(c) AND §1.116

Sir:

In reply to the advisory Office action of December 28, 2010, and in further reply to the Office action of November 24, 2010, it is respectfully requested that the following remarks and the attached amendments¹⁾ be entered and considered.

No fees are deemed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper. Nonetheless, the Commissioner is herewith authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17 that may be required in connection with this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14.1437. Please reference Attorney Docket No.: 50915.

Respectfully submitted,

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Encl.: CLAIM AMENDMENTS (Appendix I)

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1) Cf. the **Claim Amendments** set forth in Appendix I on pages 3 to 5 of this paper.